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In re Application of	Group Art Unit: 1646	<b>RECEIVED</b> AUG 15 2002 TECH CENTER 1600/2900
Chen et al.	Examiner: Jiang, Dong	
Serial No.: 09/854,280		
Filed: May 10, 2001		
For: <i>IL-17 Homologous Polypeptides and Therapeutic Uses Thereof</i>	<div><p>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING</p><p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, DC 20231 on</p><p>August 7, 2002</p><p><i>Patty Terrill</i></p><p>Patty Terrill</p></div>	

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement (Paper No. 8) mailed herein on July 22, 2002, a response to which is due on August 22, 2002, thereby making this a timely response.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees which may be required, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-0630.

In response to the outstanding Restriction Requirement, Applicants elect for further prosecution herein the claims of Group II, namely claims 43-60 in part, drawn to an isolated nucleic acid molecule having SEQ ID NO:4 or the sequence of cDNA ATCC 203552, or encoding a polypeptide of SEQ ID NO:3, a vector comprising the nucleic acid, a host cell containing the vector, and a method of recombinantly producing the encoded polypeptide, classified in class 435, subclass 69.5. This election is made without traverse.



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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fees
Total	11	-	20	0	18	\$0.00
Independent	1	-	5	0	84	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claim(s), if any					280	\$0.00
Total Fee Calculation						\$0.00

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No additional fee is required.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 07-0630 in the amount of \$. **A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.**  
Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-0630. **A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,  
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